City of Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 138.

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: AUGUST 5, 2009

SUBJECT:

COUNCIL MEMBER RECOGNITION: COMMENTS MADE BY INDIVIDUAL CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS DURING THIS PORTION OF THE AGENDA WILL NOT BE ACTED UPON BY THE CITY COUNCIL UNLESS THAT SUBJECT IS ON THE AGENDA AND SCHEDULED FOR ACTION

Minutes:

COUNCILWOMAN TARKANIAN thanked everyone who sent her cards during her husband's illness; it gave her a lot of encouragement.

COUNCILMEMBERS BARLOW, ROSS, REESE, WOLFSON and TARKANIAN announced that they would be having Back-to-School and Health fairs throughout August. Ward 5 – August 22 at Brinley Middle School; Ward 6 – August 7 at Centennial Hills Park; Ward 3 – August 10 at Stupak Center and at Gateway District; Ward 2 – August 14 at An San Park; and Ward 1 – August 11 at Clark High School. COUNCILMAN ROSS stated that these events are necessary in order to help families through hard economic times.

COUNCILMAN ROSS announced the birth of his third grandson, LOGAN HUNTER LARSON.

MAYOR GOODMAN stated that the presentation during the morning session by NANCY McLANE of Clark County Social Services is very serious and important. He directed CITY MANAGER ELIZABETH FRETWELL to do whatever possible to align services and perhaps obtain the services of people to look into the potential need to consolidate services or to use home rule. COUNCILMAN REESE noted that Wards 1, 3 and 5 have been the most impacted by homeless issues for many years, but the decrease in funds for social services will have devastating effects.